

**DEFAULT O/E JAD**

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

IN RE:  
DAVID W. SHAULIS,  
CYNTHIA L. SHAULIS,  
DEBTORS,

DAVID W. SHAULIS,  
CYNTHIA L. SHAULIS,  
MOVANTS,

v.

ACS/NELNET NHLP-III/TR  
ACS EDUCATION SERVICES,  
AMERICREDIT FINANCIAL SERVICES,  
INC. DBA GM FINANCIAL,  
CAPITAL ONE,  
COLLECTIONS UNIT  
OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL,  
CORTESE ASSOCIATES,  
CREDIT MANAGEMENT COMPANY,  
CREDIT ONE BANK,  
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,  
ECMC,  
EMERALD N. HANUS, ESQ.,  
FEDERAL LOAN SERVICING,  
LVNV FUNDING, LLC  
C/O RESURGENT CAPITAL SERVICES,  
MARTIN M. DUDAS, DDS, PC,  
MEMORIAL MEDICAL CENTER,  
MR. MUFFLER INC.,  
NELNET EDUCATIONAL FUNDING TRUST  
C/O EDUCATIONAL CREDIT MANAGEMENT  
CORPORATION/VA ED CRED. MANAGEMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES TRUSTEE,  
PENN CREDIT CORPORATION,  
PENNSYLVANIA DEPT. OF REVENUE,  
PHFA- HEMAP,  
PHFA/HEMAP,  
PORTFOLIO RECOVERY ASSOCIATES, LLC,  
RONDA J. WINNECOUR, ESQ.,  
SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING  
C/O KML LAW GROUP PC,  
SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING, INC.,  
U.S. BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION  
C/O BRIAN C. NICHOLAS, ESQ.  
KML LAW GROUP, PC,

Bankruptcy No. 17-70155-JAD

Chapter 13

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1/14/25 10:01 am  
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Responses Due: 12/13/24

Hearing Date & Time: 1/14/2025 @  
10:00 AM

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U.S. BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION  
C/O SELECT PORTFOLIO SERVICING, INC.,  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,  
US DEPT OF ED/GREAT LAKES  
HIGHER EDUCATION,  
WILLIAM E. CRAIG, ESQ.,  
RESPONDENT(S).

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**ORDER**

AND NOW, this 14th day of January, 2025,

The Court having considered the Motion to Approve Settlement of Personal Injury Claim and Distribution of Settlement Funds, and any Responses filed thereto, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, DETERMINED, FOUND, and DECREED** that:

The Court hereby authorizes Special Counsel to settle Debtors'/Movants' personal injury claim styled as Cynthia A. Shaulis and David Shaulis v. Fazio Mechanical Services, Inc. filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, at Docket NO. GD-20-012605 as follows:

1. Settlement with Fazio Mechanical Services, Inc. in the sum of forty thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$40,000) within twenty (20) days of the execution of the Settlement Agreement through the issuance of a settlement check made payable to "Cynthia Shaulis, David Shaulis, and Woomer & Talarico".
2. Movants and Special Counsel may execute the necessary documents to effect the settlement as outlined in paragraph 1.
3. The Court approves Special Counsel's contingency fee for Forty Percent (40% - reduced) as agreed by the Debtors/Movants in the fee agreement and which was included in the original Motion to Employ Special Counsel in this matter, which totals Fourteen Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty-Six Dollars and Sixty-Five Cents (\$14,956.65), to be paid first from the settlement

funds. (Counsel has voluntarily agreed to reduce their fee to allow a greater recovery for the Debtors).

4. The Court approves Special Counsel's request for reimbursement for the expenses incurred in the prosecution of the personal injury claim in the amount of Two Thousand Six Hundred Seventy-Two Dollars and Thirty-Five Cents (\$2,672.35), to be paid second from the settlement funds.

5. The Court approves Special Counsel's request to pay Equian's lien of Four Thousand Six Hundred Twenty-One Dollars and 00/100 Cents (\$4,621.00) to be paid third from the settlement funds.

6. The Court approves the remaining, net recovery from this action, Seventeen Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars and 00/100 Cents (\$17,750.00), to be paid fourth and finally to the Debtors/Movants.

7. The Court finds the above-described settlement is in the best interest of the Debtors/Movants and the bankruptcy estate.

8. The parties and their counsel believe the above-described settlement is fair and reasonable, and is hereby authorized, approved and confirmed.

9. The parties are authorized and directed to execute documents and to take such other and further action as may be reasonable and necessary to effectuate the terms of this Order.

BY THE COURT:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'JAD', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is stylized and cursive.

JEFFERY A. DELLER  
United States Bankruptcy Judge

In re:  
David W. Shaulis  
Cynthia L. Shaulis  
Debtors

Case No. 17-70155-JAD  
Chapter 13

## CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

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Notice by first class mail was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center on Jan 16, 2025:

Recip ID	Recipient Name and Address
db/jdb	+ David W. Shaulis, Cynthia L. Shaulis, 799 Woodstown Highway, Hollsopple, PA 15935-7320
sp	#+ Michael Megrey, Woomer & Talarico LLC, 2945 Banksville Road, Suite 200, Pittsburgh, PA 15216-2749

TOTAL: 2

Notice by electronic transmission was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center.  
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NONE

## BYPASSED RECIPIENTS

The following addresses were not sent this bankruptcy notice due to an undeliverable address, \*duplicate of an address listed above, \*P duplicate of a preferred address, or ## out of date forwarding orders with USPS.

NONE

## NOTICE CERTIFICATION

I, Gustava Winters, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 309): Pursuant to Fed .R. Bank. P.2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.

Date: Jan 16, 2025

Signature: /s/Gustava Winters

## CM/ECF NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING

The following persons/entities were sent notice through the court's CM/ECF electronic mail (Email) system on January 14, 2025 at the address(es) listed below:

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